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POSITIONS TO BE FILLED.

Examinations Announced by the Civil Service Commission.

The Civil Service Commission has announced that it desires to establish an eligible register for the position of surferman in the Life-Saving Service. Applicants will not have to undergo any educational test, but they will be graded upon the elements of age, experience, and physical qualifications as shown by the information furnished in connection with their formal applications. Applicants must reside not more than five miles inland from the water upon which the station at which they desire employment is situated and only those persons who have had at least three years' experience as surfmen, surfers or boatmen will be examined. Applications for this examination must be made before the hour of closing tomorrow.

"Let the office hunt the man," seems to be the motto of the office of the Inspector of Customs in Stonington, Conn., for which the Civil Service Commission announced an examination to take place on October 17, 1900. No applicants were sent in, and the Commission are again trying to fill the position which is worth \$2 per diem. The examination for this position will be held tomorrow.

On January 5 an examination will take place for the position of Chinese interpreter in the Treasury Department. The salary attached to the office has not been announced.

January 19 examinations will be held for the position of fireman, Quartermaster's Department at large, steamer General Mages, New York; salary, \$750 per annum.

For the position of janitor in the United States post-Treasury Building at New York city, examinations will take place on February 2.

It is desired to establish an eligible register for the position of landman in the Purveying School, Washington, at an annual salary of \$120. Examinations for this purpose will take place on February 2.

February 5 examinations for the following positions will take place: Japanese interpreter, Bureau of Immigration, San Francisco, \$5 per diem; draftsman for occasional employment in the Division of Geography in the Geological Survey, salary not stated; inspectors of mines and leather, Quartermaster's Department at large, at Boston, salary \$1,200 per annum; seven vacancies in the office of inspector of shawl garments, at New York city, salaries ranging from \$80 to \$100 per month; draftsman of marine engines and machinery in the Light House Service, Treasury Department, salary not stated.

The above-mentioned examinations are open to all citizens of the United States and the Civil Service Commission states that "applicants will be examined, graded, and certified with entire impartiality, and wholly without regard to any consideration of race, color, or religion, except in the case of those positions where a special grade is attached to the examination."

Persons who desire to compete should at once apply to the United States Civil Service Commission, this city, for application forms.

ORATORIO AT TRINITY CHURCH.

"The Birth of Christ" Sung by the Vested Choir.

The rendition of the oratorio, "The Birth of Christ," last evening by the vested choir of Trinity Church, was a musical event of some importance, from the fact that the work was composed by William A. Kirkpatrick, the organist of the church. The oratorio is arranged in four parts, with an introduction for the organ, a finale for full chorus, and an intermezzo. The old English carol, "We Three Kings of the Orient Are," is effectively introduced in Part IV.

The music is of a high order, and shows great originality, some of the choruses being exceedingly beautiful. A shortening of the organ introduction might prove more effective.

The choir did excellent work, and has improved greatly under Mr. Kirkpatrick's training. The soloists last evening were Miss Bertha Woodward, soprano; Mrs. A. K. Benson, soprano; James G. Traylor, tenor; Halstead P. Hoover, baritone; and C. Moore, bass.

"Nativity," by Gounod, was sung during the oratorio. The reading of Milton's "Hymn of the Nativity," by the rector, the Rev. Mr. Williams, seemed particularly appropriate on this occasion.

A Young Man's Story.

PETERSBURG, Va., Jan. 4.—Yesterday afternoon while Francis Lockett, employed as a nurse by Pierce Kilmarlin, a druggist of this city, was sitting in front of an open garage with the five-day-old infant of A. R. Kilmarlin in her arms, she fell asleep. Her clothing took fire, and she was burned in a horrible manner. Her injuries, it is thought, will prove fatal. The infant was uninjured, having been rescued by its mother.

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VIEW OF A CENTENARIAN

A Marylander, at the Age of 108,
Talks of Old Times.

He Declares That Men and Women Do Not Enjoy Themselves as Formerly—Too Much Greed for Wealth. Remarkable Progress Has Not Increased Happiness of the People.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 4.—Standing in the dawn of the Twentieth Century, Thomas Cooksey Ward, who lives near Charlotte Hall, in St. Mary's county, and is well known in Baltimore, looks backward through the century just closed into seven years of the hundred years that had the prefix of 17. He is well known throughout St. Mary's and Charles counties, and until enfeebled by the grip last winter could be seen frequently at various gatherings and at the villages in his neighborhood. Mr. Ward is now housed for the winter. His last appearance in public was on election day, when he drove several miles to Mechanicsville, St. Mary's county, in order to vote for Bryan and Stevenson.

Mr. Ward lives with a son and two daughters on his farm in St. Mary's county, six miles east of Hughesville, Charles county. His postoffice address is Charlotte Hall. The plain, old-fashioned farmhouse stands on top of a hill that has a rather bleak aspect at this season. He was seated in a comfortable rocking chair before a cheerful open wood fire. He seemed pleased to see the visitor and manifested considerable interest in what was said, although he is quite deaf. He attributes his great age to the strength given by simple habits and an outdoor life.

"Yes, it is all very wonderful," he said, when speaking of his age. "It is indeed wonderful that a man should live in three centuries. I was born in November 23, 1733, on my father's farm, near Newport, in Charles county. My father was Joseph Ward and my mother before her marriage was Mary Cooksey. Both lived to a good old age. I think my mother was nearly ninety years old when she died."

"I love the country, and I have always lived here, except for a few years spent in Baltimore during middle age. I was reared like most country boys, going to school in the winter months on the farm in the summer. When I reached manhood I began farming for myself and have been fairly successful. I bought this farm of about 300 acres and managed it myself until nine years ago. I lost \$18,000 security money shortly after the civil war, but it did not bankrupt me, so you see I have done fairly well."

"What do I think of the century that has just closed?" he was asked. "Well, it was a wonderful century, but I don't think the human race is any better off now than it was 100 years ago, with all the marvelous things that have been accomplished. I don't think there is too much greed for wealth. I haven't confidence in anyone now. When I was a young man it was different. Men and women got some sense out of the century."

"The old plantation homes were very attractive. Social pleasures were numerous and there was not this false idea of rank and position. I have seen the wealthiest and the poorest of the old plantation homes with men whose clothing was ragged and whose feet were bare. Some of those old gatherings were delightful, and I showed my neighbors a good time. A man's neighbors would gather in force at his house to help him work corn, for instance, while the women worked on quilts and sewing. Then at night all would enjoy a dance. If a poor man lost his horse his neighbors would help him buy another. You don't see that spirit today."

"The great strides of the century have not been as closely followed by me as they might," continued Mr. Ward, "as I have lived nearly all my life quietly down here in the country. I have seen the grain cradle replaced by the first reaper, and it gave way to the complete harvesting machine of today. I have seen the birth of the sewing machine, the steamboat, and the electric light. These things have been a wonderful help, but away back in the first part of the century we were happy without them."

"When a man would go to Baltimore four or five times a year. Such a journey was a great event in those days, even when undertaken by an individual, but when he went as a family it was something of a business. He would be talked about for weeks. Chickens had to be cooked, bread baked, and clothing made—for our women folks made all our clothes then; there was no such thing as going into a store and buying what you needed. When the day came to set off on the journey all was excitement. When I would go to Baltimore, my trunk and my horse and buggy would be packed and I would go on horseback and could make the journey in a day. Otherwise we would go to Washington and take a stage coach for Baltimore."

"One of the finest stage lines in the country ran between Washington and New York early in the century. I have frequently ridden between these cities, and Washington with men whose names are prominent in history."

Mr. Ward visited Baltimore for the last time three years ago. He was evidently not favorably impressed. There was too much noise, bustle, and hurry. The trolley cars, the recently erected high buildings, the growth of the city, and the number of commission houses handling the products of the farm seem to have attracted his attention more than anything else.

"When I began farming," he said, "we never heard of commission merchants. We sold our crops to merchants down here in the country. Pike & Neal and old Mr. Newham were the first to go into the commission business, seventy-five or eighty years ago. My recollection of Baltimore at that time is that there were few houses west of Knickerbocker Street, and the neighborhood of Washington Monument."

Mr. Ward was more aroused when politics were mentioned than at any other time. "Are you a Democrat or a Republican?" he was asked. "Don't say Republican to me, sir," he responded vigorously. "I am a Democrat from the ground up. I always have been and always will be." While being an active party worker and local leader nearly all his life, Mr. Ward has only held one political office, that of State tobacco inspector. He was first appointed by Governor Johnson in 1838; next by Governor Thomas in 1841, and again by Governor Lowe in 1859.

Mr. Ward was married July 26, 1826, to Miss Rebecca Langley, who died a number of years ago. Their children are John H. Ward, Miss Emma and Cecelia Ward, with whom the old gentleman makes his home; and Joseph T. Ward, Mrs. Rose Stewart, and Mrs. Maria Johnson, all of Charles county. Mr. Ward is a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church of Briarcliff, Md., and has been a member of that church since he was a boy. He is visited at his home by Father Southgate, the pastor. Mr. Ward, in conclusion, remarked that he was contented with his lot and was not inclined to have his photograph taken.

Richmond to Have a New Jail.

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 4.—Richmond is to have a new city jail, and it is to be erected on the site of the present unsightly structure. This determination was arrived at yesterday by the Council Finance Committee. The cost of the new prison is not to exceed \$60,000. This is the result of the sensational escape of "Topsy Joe" from the present insecure jail.

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Saturday and Sunday, January 5 and 6.

A SOUR STOMACH

Is Often the Real Cause of a Sour Temper.

That the condition of the digestive organs has a marked effect upon the character or disposition is a truism as old as the hills. Old Ben Jonson wisely said: "The pleasure of living depends upon the liver," and it is a fact which no man disputes that a sunny disposition more often results from a healthy digestion than from any other cause.

Acid dyspepsia, commonly called sour stomach or heartburn, is caused by slow digestion of food; instead of being promptly digested and converted into blood, bone, and muscle, it lies in the stomach for hours, fermenting and decaying, creating gases which cause pressure on the lungs and heart, short breath, and general discomfort and irritation.

Such half-digested food is indeed poor nourishment for the body, brain and nerves, and the result is shown in irritable tempers, unaccountable headaches, and that depressing condition usually called the "blues," but how quickly all these disappear when appetite and digestion are restored.

Laxative medicines only irritate the already irritated stomach and bowels and have no effect upon actual digestion of food. The sensible course to follow is to make use of simple natural digestives like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after meals until the stomach has a chance to recuperate.

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I had acidity and heartburn nearly every day, and sometimes was alarmed by irregularity and palpitation of the heart, but all this gradually disappeared as I began using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and I can eat my meals with relish and satisfaction which I had not known since I was a growing boy.

The success and popularity of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is enormous, but it is deserved, and every druggist in the United States, Canada and Great Britain has it on hand as a word for this meritorious preparation.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Chief Justice and Mrs. Fuller entertained at dinner last night, in honor of their daughter, Miss Fannie Fuller, who is engaged to be married to Mr. William H. Fuller, of New York. The dinner was given in the fine old residence in F Street, where the family have resided for years, but Raucher's, still in its Yuletide glory of garlands, red ribbons, and ruby lights, was the scene of the dinner. The table decorations were of white and pink. The dinner guests were Mrs. Hildesheim, McKenna, Miss Sartoris, Miss Julia Foster, Miss Caroline, Miss McCauley, Miss Winston, Miss Austin, the three young daughters of the house, their married daughters, Mrs. Wythe and Mrs. Francis Gray, Mrs. Randolph de Luchter, Senor Poldo, Mr. Geoffrey, Mr. Wythe, Mr. Hopkins, Mr. Wilcox, Messrs. Winthrop and Emery, of Boston; Mr. Wallace and Mr. McKee.

Mrs. Fuller wore black Renaissance lace over white satin, and the debutante a gown of pale blue satin that was decorated with delicate embroidery and blonde hair. With her gown of black lace, spangled with silver sunbursts, Mrs. Wallace wore pink gardenias in her hair. The debutante wore a gown of black over white satin with a badge of architecture of orchids. The hostess was assisted in receiving at Raucher's by Mrs. Gray, Mrs. McKee, Mrs. Calderon, Carlisle, and Mrs. Gordon Cummings.

The Secretary of Agriculture and Miss Wilson entertained at dinner last night, when their guests were the Speaker and Mrs. Henderson, Senator and Mrs. Fairbank, Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. Deliver, Mrs. Manning, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Curtis, Senator Allison, and Mrs. James Wilson, Jr.

An especially attractive feature of yesterday's social programme was contributed by Mrs. Mason, wife of Senator Macdonald, who gave a violin recital to a recital by the Misses Helen and Carrie Gray, of Chicago, the former a pianist who has achieved fame in the West and the latter a violinist of rare skill. Their solo and concerted numbers were given with splendid technique, and expression and were thoroughly enjoyed by the audience, among whom were many of the music lovers of the fashionable world.

The hostess, her three daughters, who are themselves accomplished musicians, and Mrs. Mason, Jr., were assisted in receiving by the wives of the Illinois delegation among whom were Mrs. Boutell, Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. Graff, Mrs. Prince, Mrs. J. R. Williams, Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. George W. Smith, Mrs. Warner, and Mrs. Crowley. Miss Isabel Stearns poured champagne and Miss Helen Gray served punch. The table was floridly beautiful with red carnations, and the candles were capped with red shades. The Misses Gray will return to their home tomorrow.

Mrs. D. S. Hendrick will be at home this afternoon and the succeeding Fridays in January.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Putnam are residing for the present at 1834 I Street.

Mrs. T. DeWitt Talmage and the Misses Talmage will receive this afternoon from 2:30 to 6 o'clock.

The Mexican Ambassador and Mme. Aspiroz will go to New York in a day or two with the young daughter, who is a student at the convent of the Sacred Heart, at Manhattanville, and who has been home for the holidays.

The blue sky and mellow sunshine added no little to the success of the reception which was given yesterday afternoon by the ladies of the Senatorial circle yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Keen and the Misses Keen held one of the largest receptions of the day. The decorations were the night before were still in place and gave a touch of summer beauty to the splendid home. Mrs. Keen was crowned with a crown of black lace over white, while Miss Elizabeth Keen wore blue cloth, and Miss Lucy Keen wore blue cloth.

Miss Paulding was one of the most popular hostesses of the afternoon, her callers representing the various phases of Washington society, with whom she has become a favorite during Senator Depeu's official career here. Her gown was of crimson velvet, and she wore diamonds. Among her callers were Mrs. Hill, Countess Albertine, Mrs. Cowles, Mrs. O'Donnell, Miss Alice Hay, Miss Sheridan, the Hon. Audrey Pennington, Miss Alice Rochester, and Miss Hagar.

Mrs. Foster's receptions are always one of the attractive events of Thursday afternoons throughout the season. Yesterday the Misses Foster were her only assistants.

Mrs. Cockrell received from 4 to 6. She was assisted by Miss Cockrell, Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. McKee, and Mrs. Hildesheim. Mrs. Hildesheim, the wife of Senator

Hansbrough, received yesterday from 3 to 6. Her gown was of delicate yellow liberty silk and guipure lace. She was assisted by Miss Hugg, Miss Evans, and Miss Hume.

Mrs. Stewart, wife of Senator Stewart of Nevada, welcomed a throng of callers at her home, 1800 F Street. She was assisted in receiving by her daughter, Mrs. Henry S. Foster, of San Francisco, and the latter's daughter, Miss Lida S. Foster, who will spend the winter in Washington.

Mrs. Torrey, of Boston, and Mrs. Hildesheim, of New York, are guests of Mrs. Boutell, of Illinois. Mrs. Boutell will be at home Wednesdays in January.

Miss Lucy Mullican and Mr. Spencer M. Purdum were married Wednesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Mullican, at Brink, near Rockville, Md.

The contracting couple and their attendants entered the parlor to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march rendered by Mrs. William Matthews, of this city, sister of the groom. The bride was handsomely attired in white lace, with a train of silver spangled net and ribbon trimmings, and carried a Bible. Miss Emma Mullican, sister of the bride, was her attendant. She wore a pretty suit of green cloth and carried white roses. A reception followed the marriage ceremony.

Invitations have been issued by Mrs. Clark for the marriage of her daughter, Miss Clara Magruder, to Mr. Nathaniel Tyler, Jr. The ceremony will take place at St. Margaret's Church, Wednesday, January 16, at noon.

Henry Miller in "Richard Savage." According to the exchanges just received from Rochester, where "Richard Savage" had its first production, and in which Mr. Henry Miller will appear at the Columbia Theatre next week, Madeline Lucette Ryley has written a remarkable play; a play destined to enhance her fame as a playwright and to give Mr. Miller still greater establishment in the force.



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most rank of American stars. It seems to have the merit of being equally successful, both from a literary and popular standpoint. There are no tanks, and there is no scene chewing, but it is melodrama just the same, and apparently a very thriving melodrama at that. The "Rochester Democrat and Chronicle" states that there were no less than eighteen curtain calls during its first performance, and that it began its career "stranded" "success" as permanently and conspicuously as Rochester can set that mark on a new play.

The Virginia Governorship.

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 4.—The Governorship is attracting considerable attention. The friends of Messrs. Montague and Swanson have already held several conferences, and will hold others about the time of the meeting of the Legislature on January 23. The candidacy of these two gentlemen is daily growing more active and interesting. It is quite certain that developments will come to light in a few days which will greatly add to the interest in the campaign, and may have no little to do with finally determining its results. The question of the chairmanship of the State committee will largely be determined by the success of Mr. Swanson. Should it develop that the latter will dominate the convention, the election of Mr. Lawless as Chairman of the State committee will be a foregone conclusion.

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DECIDES AGAINST MISS COLE.

Judge Callahan Holds She Is Not Entitled to Wages.

On the suit of Miss Isabel M. Cole against Robert Burton Rodney, to recover \$60.50 claimed as wages for services rendered, the judgment of the court announced yesterday was against the plaintiff. The services for which Miss Cole claimed the amount named were for acting as companion to Mrs. Margaret Rodney, the wife of the defendant. The testimony adduced at the trial, however, showed that Miss Cole had, to a great extent, excluded Mr. Rodney from the society and companionship of his wife, and Justice of the Peace Thomas H. Callahan, in disposing of the case said:

"It is impossible for the plaintiff to maintain a claim for services against the defendant when the service was in keeping him away from his wife."

Miss Cole, through her attorney, James Archer, announced that she will take an appeal from the judgment of the court. Miss Cole is said also to have stated that at the next hearing of the case Mrs. Rodney will appear as a witness.

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